

EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS

HONOLULU

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January 29, 2007

The Honorable Colleen Hanabusa President of the Senate Twenty-Fourth Legislature State Capitol, Room 409 Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear Madam President:

I am requesting your immediate consideration and passage of Senate Bill 1972, which makes an emergency appropriation of \$612,000 in general funds in Fiscal Year 2006-2007 to repair additional cracks in the roof of the Honolulu district court building, Kauikeaouli Hale, to undertake a thorough structural analysis of the building and to pay for other costs related to the October 15, 2006 earthquake.

We appreciate your prompt attention to this matter. The Judiciary is available to answer any questions you or your staff may have.

Sincerely,

LINDA LINGLE

c: The Honorable Rosalyn H. Baker, Chair Senate Committee on Ways and Means

The Honorable Clayton Hee, Chair Senate Committee on Judiciary and Labor